

Drug-induced parkinsonism



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Learning objectives



At the conclusion of this educational program, learners will be able to:

- 1) Discuss common risk factors, causative agents and clinical presentations in DIP
- 2) Discuss treatment and clinical outcomes in DIP
- 3) Discuss the potential relationship of DIP to PD

Drug-induced parkinsonism (DIP)



- Culprit drugs and mechanisms of DIP
- Epidemiology (Incidence, prevalence, risk factors)
- Clinical presentation
- Treatment and outcomes
- (When) Does DIP reveal underlying neurodegenerative disease?

Culprit drugs and mechanisms in DIP



Agents associated with DIP



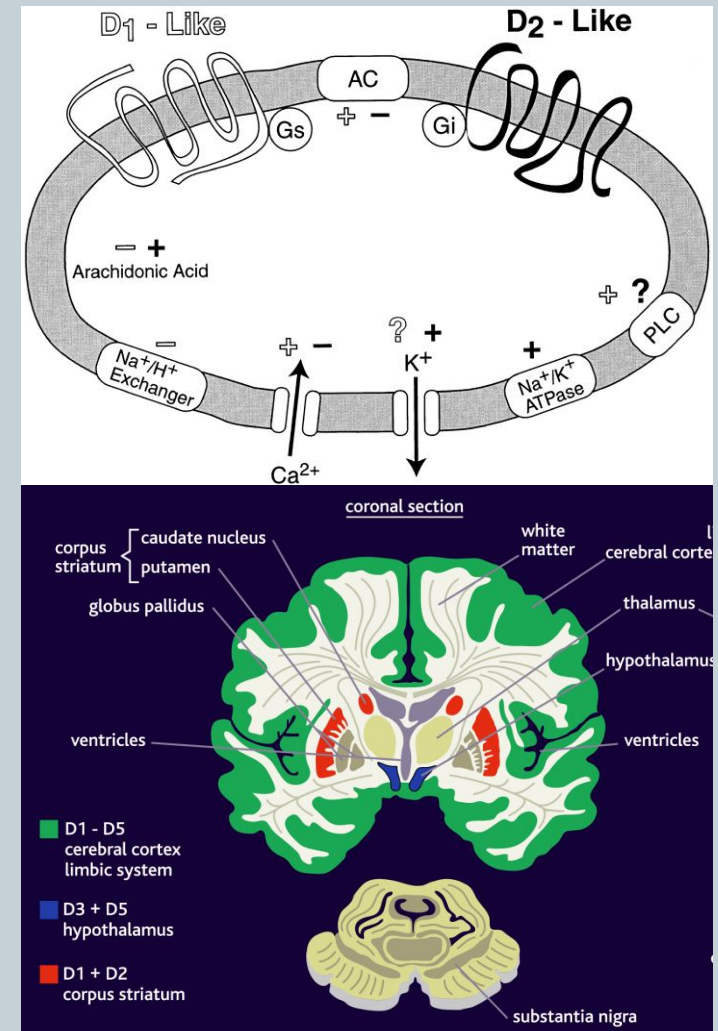
- French pharmacovigilance center reporting 1993-2009

| Class | Agents | % of reports |
|-------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Central dopaminergic antagonists | haloperidol, fluphenazine, chlorpromazine, risperidone, olanzapine | 49 |
| Anti-depressants | citalopram, paroxetine, venlafaxine | 8 |
| Calcium channel blockers (T) | flunarizine, cinnarizine, verapamil, diltiazem | 5 |
| Peripheral dopaminergic antagonists | metoclopramide, domperidone | 5 |
| H1 anti-histamines | alimemazine, hydroxyzine | 5 |
| Miscellaneous | valproate, lithium, amiodarone (not all drugs were detailed) | 28 |

- Dopamine antagonism is a common theme**

Dopamine receptor pharmacology

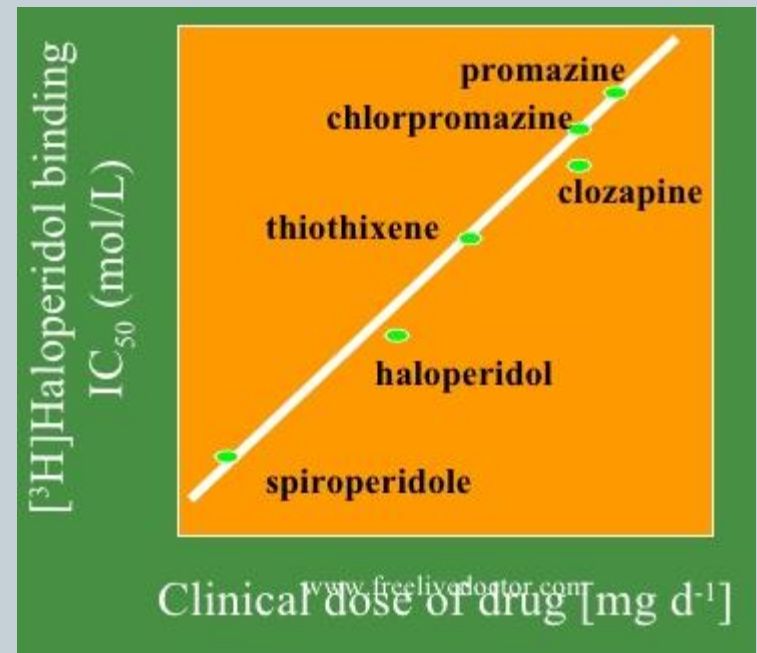
- Three major DA systems
 - Nigrostriatal, mesolimbic/mesocortical, tuberoinfundibular
- 5 DA receptor subtypes
 - D1-like (D1/D5) and D2-like (D2/D3/D4)
- Differ in coupling and distribution



APs act through multiple transmitter pathways



- AP motor and behavioral effects through DA and extra-DA
- AP potency defined by relative D2 affinity
- Cholinergic, serotonergic, adrenergic tone affects DA mediated motor pathways



Spectrum of AP AEs mediated by diverse receptors



TABLE
RECEPTOR BLOCKADE AND ANTIPSYCHOTIC SIDE EFFECTS²

| <u><i>Receptor Type</i></u> | <u><i>Side Effects</i></u> |
|-----------------------------|--|
| D ₂ | EPS, prolactin elevation |
| M ₁ | Cognitive deficits, dry mouth, constipation, increased heart rate, urinary retention, blurred vision |
| H ₁ | Sedation, weight gain, dizziness |
| α ₁ | Hypotension |
| 5-HT _{2A} | Anti-EPS (?) |
| 5-HT _{2C} | Satiety blockade |

D=dopamine; EPS=extrapyramidal symptoms; M=muscarine; H=histamine; 5-HT=serotonin.

Receptor pharmacology of AP drugs

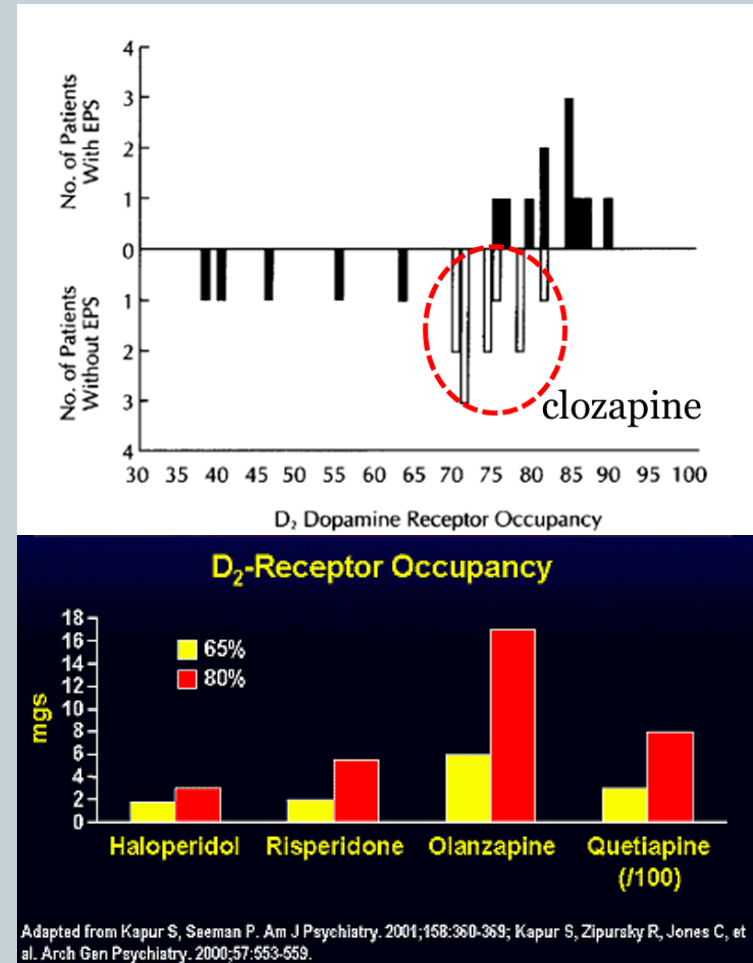


| Drug | D ₂ | 5HT _{2A} | α ₁ | H ₁ | M ₁ |
|--|----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| First generation or “typical” APs | | | | | |
| haloperidol | 1.5 | 53 | 12 | >1000 | >>1000 |
| perphenazine | 0.75 | 5.6 | 10 | 8 | >1000 |
| Second generation or “atypical” APs | | | | | |
| aripiprazole | 0.5 | 3.4 | 47 | 61 | >1000 |
| risperidone | 4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 20 | >1000 |
| ziprasidone | 5 | 0.4 | 11 | 50 | >1000 |
| olanzapine | 11 | 4 | 19 | 7 | 1.9 |
| clozapine | 126 | 16 | 7 | 6 | 1 |
| quetiapine | 770 | 31 | 8 | 19 | >1000 |

Values are K_i (nM)—Low values represent high affinity

DIP is related to D2 occupancy

- D2 Receptor occupancy drives DIP
- Occupancy threshold approximates extent of nigral degeneration at onset of PD
- Drugs with different potencies cause DIP at similar D2 occupancy



Culprit drugs and mechanisms in DIP



Many drugs implicated but APs most common
Dopamine antagonism (D2R occupancy) is a common thread
Modulation by 5HT and other pathways

Epidemiology and determinants of DIP

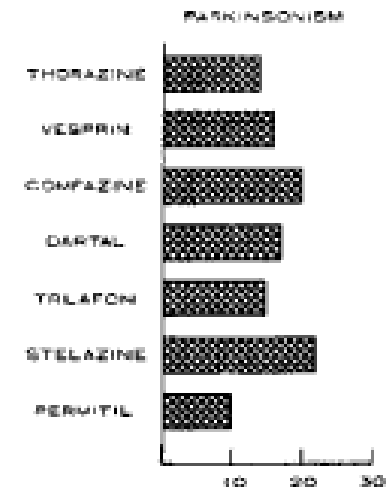
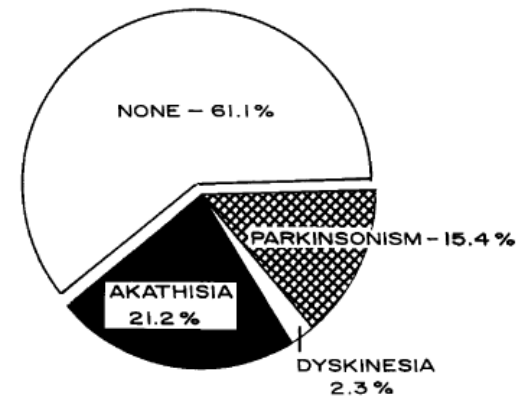


Epidemiology of DIP



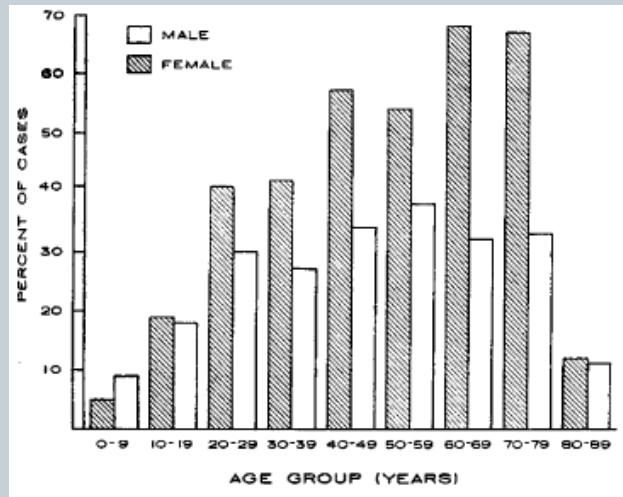
- Ayd (1961) described EPS in >3000 AP-treated pts
- Parkinsonism in ~15%
- Estimates vary from study to study (~10-60%)
- 10-20% estimated in common practice
- Associated with non-compliance, falls, decreased QOL (Schouten et al *JAMDA* 2012)

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EXTRAPYRAMIDAL REACTIONS:
OVERALL INCIDENCE IN 3,775 PATIENTS

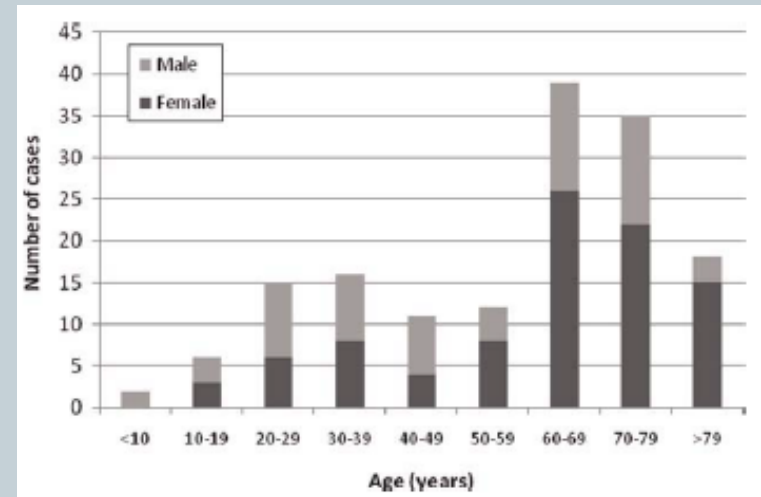
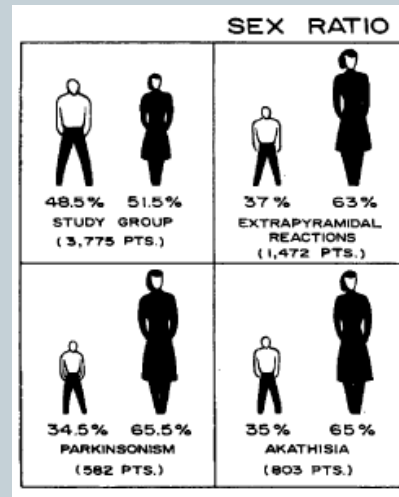


Risk factors for DIP

- Increasing age and female gender



Ayd (1961)



Bondon-Guitton (2011)

- Intensity (dose, duration) also well-described

Risk factors for DIP



- Intensity (dose, duration) also well-described
- HIV
- Personal > family history of EPS
- DA receptor polymorphisms, ?other genes
- Cigarette smoking may be protective (as in PD)

DIP: Second-Generation Antipsychotics



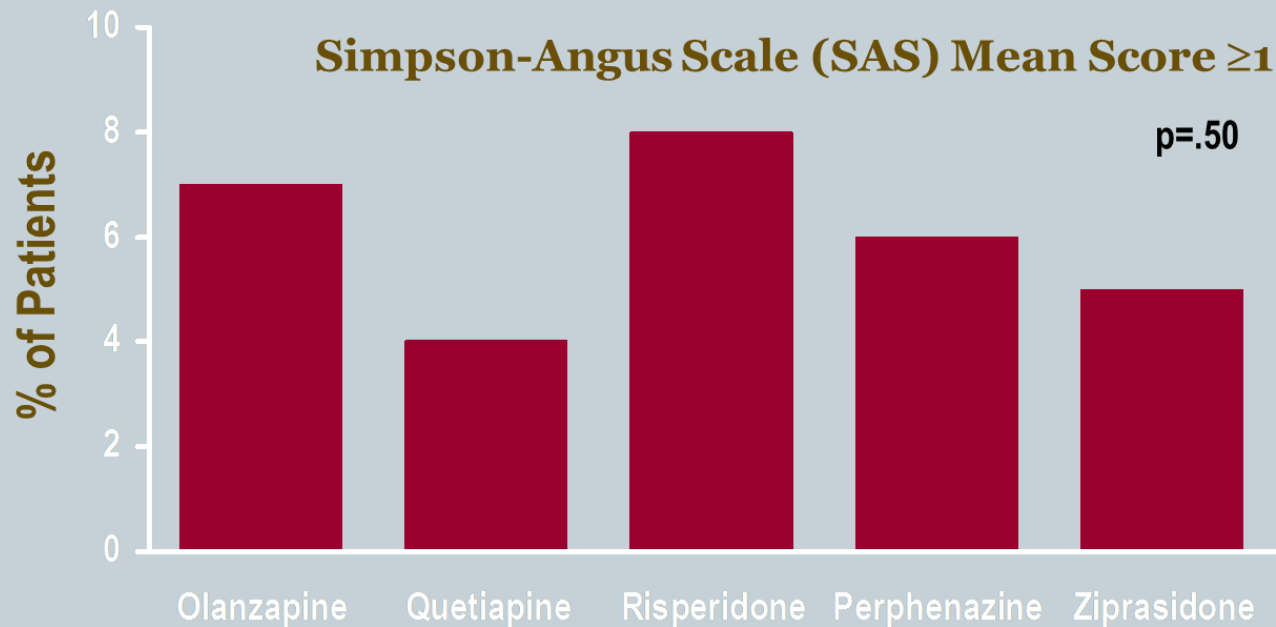
- RIS* (2-16 mg)=11.8% vs. HAL (20 mg)=26.4% vs. PBO=3.4%
- OLZ (13 mg)=14.1% vs. HAL (12 mg)=37.9%
- QTP (75-750mg)=4-8% vs. HAL (12 mg)=29% vs. PBO=10%
- ZIP (110 mg)=9% vs. HAL (9 mg) = 22%
- ARI (2-30mg)=6% vs. HAL (5-20mg) =19.5%

Simpson GM, Lindenmayer JP. *J Clin Psychopharmacol.* 1997;17(3):194-201. Tollefson GD, et al. *Am J Psychiatry.* 1997;154(4):457-465. Arvanitis LA, Miller BG. *Biol Psychiatry.* 1997;42(4):233-246. Hirsch SR, et al. *J Clin Psychiatry.* 2002;63(6):516-523. Marder et al 2003. Weiden et al 2008. Kane et al 2010.

DIP with SGAs in a large randomized trial



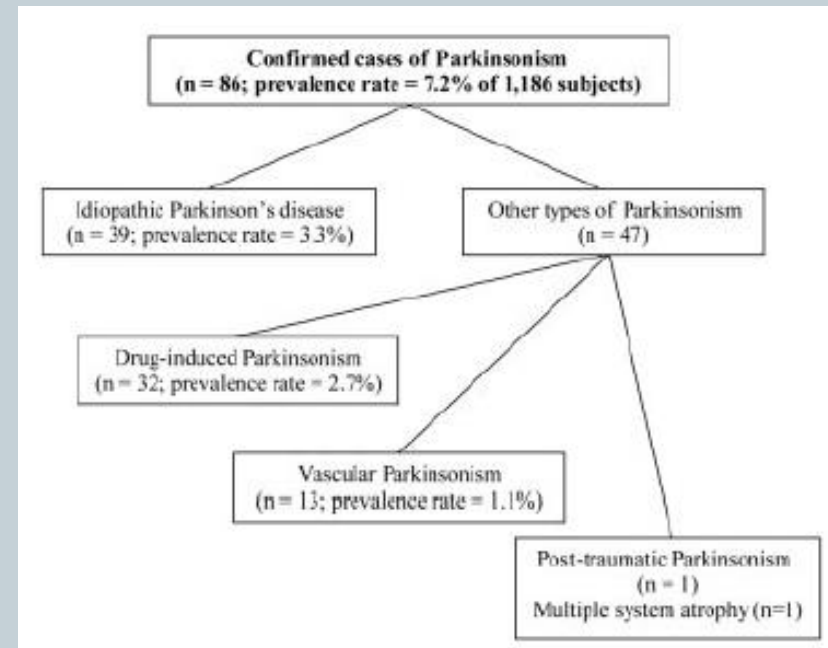
CATIE trial: >1800 pts in RCT of different APs for schizophrenia



****Secondary analysis with more inclusive criteria (Miller *BMJ* 2008) increased incidence to 20-30% but no difference between drugs**

DIP is a common cause of Parkinsonism

- 2nd most common after PD
 - Expanding problem
 - AP rx's increasing for a variety of indications
 - ~60% off-label in VA
- (Leslie 2009)
- Common (and challenging!) differential



DIP is likely underdiagnosed



- 48 psychiatric inpatients
- Compared clinical diagnoses of DIP and other EPS to clinical diagnoses

TABLE 1. Research and Clinical Diagnoses of Neuroleptic-Induced Extrapyramidal Syndromes in 48 Psychotic Patients

| Extrapyramidal Syndrome | Patients Given Research Diagnosis | Clinical Diagnosis | | McNemar Test of Difference Between Clinician and Researcher Errors | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|-------|
| | | Patients Given Diagnosis | Percent of Patients Given Research Diagnosis | χ^2 (df=1) | p |
| Dystonia | 3 | 1 | 33 | — | — |
| Parkinsonism | 29 | 17 | 59 | 10.08 | <.005 |
| Akinesia | 23 | 14 | 61 | 7.11 | <.01 |
| Akathisia | 27 | 7 | 26 | 18.05 | <.001 |
| Tardive dyskinesia ^a | 10 | 1 | 10 | 7.11 | <.01 |

- Only 59% of DIP clinically diagnosed
- Similar results in a study of inpatient neurologic consultations (Friedman et al. *J Gerontol* 2003) where only 45% identified correctly

Epidemiology and determinants of DIP



DIP is common and disabling

Seen with both FGAs and SGAs

RFs include age, gender

Variability suggests unmeasured individual susceptibility

Magnitude of the problem is under-recognized

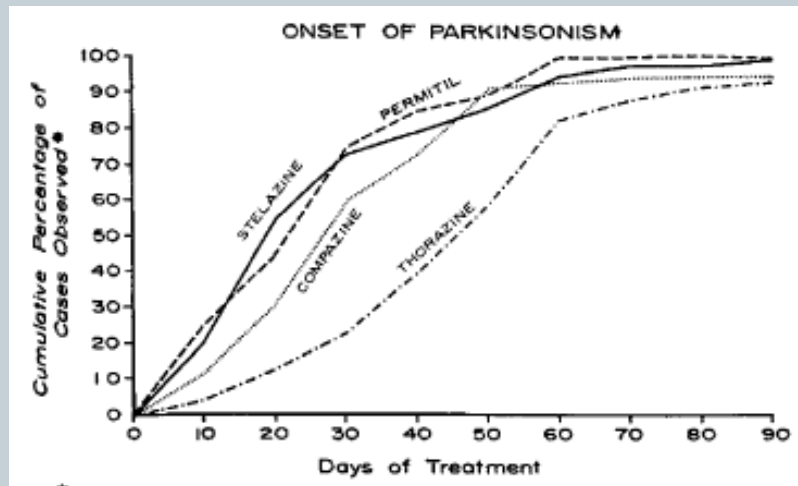
Likely to increase

Clinical Characteristics of DIP

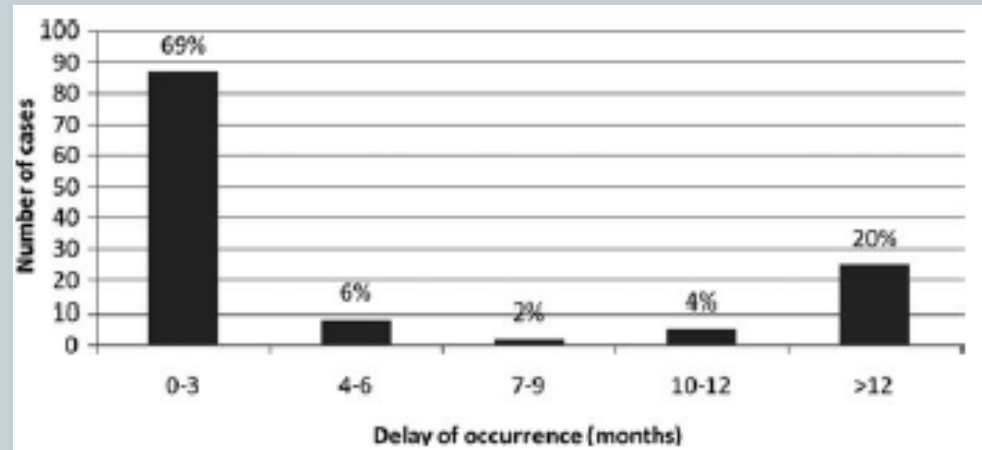


Timing of drugs and DIP

Ayd (1961)



Bondon-Guitton (2011)



DIP is commonly but not always observed soon after a drug is started

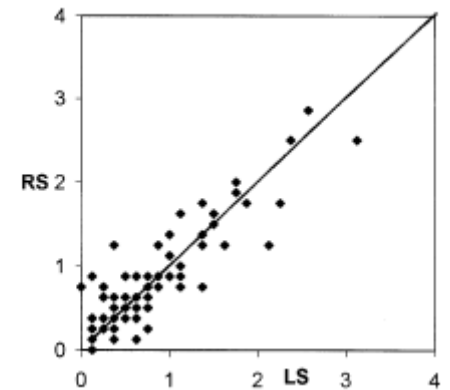
Clinical characteristics of DIP



Giladi group (Israel). 75 pts (72% male). Mean age 43. Most chronically (>10y) treated

Table 1. The motor performance as scored in subscales of the UPDRS and the ADL score of the UPDRS in 75 patients with NIP

| Subscales ^a | Maximum obtainable score | Mean \pm SD | Range |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| Total motor score | 108 | 22.6 \pm 14.3 | 3, 72 |
| Global tremor score | 24 | 3.0 \pm 4.3 | 0, 18 |
| Global bradykinesia score | 36 | 9.8 \pm 6.1 | 1, 28 |
| Global rigidity score | 20 | 5.6 \pm 4.1 | 1, 18 |
| Upper body score | 12 | 2.7 \pm 1.9 | 0, 9 |
| Lower body score | 12 | 2.1 \pm 1.8 | 0, 8 |
| Gait score | 8 | 1.0 \pm 1.4 | 0, 8 |
| Postural impairment gait difficulty | 20 | 1.9 \pm 2.8 | 0, 20 |
| Right score | 32 | 7.0 \pm 4.7 | 1, 23 |
| Left score | 32 | 6.9 \pm 5.1 | 0, 25 |



Relatively little tremor, symmetric signs otherwise not very different than PD

Asymmetry of findings in DIP



- Sethi and Zamrini *J Neuropsych and Clin Neuro* 1990
- 20 pts: 5 women, mean age 59
- Metoclopramide in 5 pts (tx 3-9mos), APs in 15 (3-25 years)
- Predominant signs:
 - Tremor in 7
 - Bradykinesia in 5
 - Mixed for 8
- Significant asymmetry in 6 (30%)

- Hardie and Lees (*JNNP* 1998) described asymmetry in 14/26 schizophrenic patients with DIP (54%)

Treatment of DIP



- Does it need to be treated?
- Removal, reduction or substitution
- Little systematic study
 - One crossover placebo controlled trial (40 pts, 2wk treatment)
amantadine=trihexyphenidyl>placebo
- Empiric use of anti-cholinergics but AEs often limiting
- Variable response to levodopa
 - May be safer than advertised
- Several reports of ECT in severe cases

Response to levodopa in DIP



| Patient | Webster score | | Duration (months) of levodopa | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| | Pre/post | Response | Delay | Treatment | Follow up | Dose mg |
| <i>Drug withdrawn</i> | | | | | | |
| CR | 12/10 | none | 0 | 29 | 30 | 1000* |
| KS | 15/16 | none | 0 | 3 | 3 | 600 |
| AK | 10/6 | slight | 1 | 7 | 15 | 300* |
| AN | 22/17 | slight | 4 | 30 | 30 | 600 |
| ES | 26/18 | slight | 3 | 9 | 10 | 600 |
| AD | 11/4 | moderate | 0 | 2 | 30 | 1000* |
| JK | 14/8 | moderate | 0 | 21 | 21 | 300 |
| AS | 11/3 | moderate | 2 | 39 | 39 | 150 |
| JS | 23/0 | complete | 1 | 24 | 24 | 300 |
| PW | 13/2 | complete† | 1 | 6 | 23 | 300 |
| <i>Drug continued</i> | | | | | | |
| NW | 10/11 | none | — | 12 | 28 | 800* |
| MC | 15/15 | none | — | 6 | 12 | 800* |
| KG | 20/15 | slight | — | 47 | 53 | 1000* |
| GT | 23/14 | moderate | — | 33 | 33 | 800 |
| ON | 18/6 | moderate | — | 26 | 26 | 300 |

| LD response | Drug withdrawn | Drug continued | Overall |
|-------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
| None | 20% | 40% | 27% |
| Slight | 30% | 20% | 27% |
| Moderate | 20% | 40% | 33% |
| Complete | 20% | 0% | 13% |

Discontinuation for “agitated anxiety” in 1 pt, dyskinesia in 2

Outcomes in DIP



- Typical thinking is withdraw and wait (but how long?)
 - Stephen and Williamson (*Lancet* 1984): 66% of 48 pts with complete resolution at 36 weeks (mean 7 weeks) but 11% with persistent sx at 18 months
 - 10/16 (62%) pts from Hardie and Lees had residual sx at 3-4 months that required levodopa
 - Lim et al. (*Int J Neurosci* 2013) reported 2 cases of persistent symptoms for more than 6 months with normal dopamine transporter imaging—eventually resolved after 9-12 months

Comparing DIP to PD



| Main features | DIP | iPD |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| Age at onset | More often in the elderly | Sixth decade |
| Symptoms at onset | Typically symmetrical | Typically asymmetrical |
| Onset | Acute or subacute | Chronic |
| Course with treatment | Reversible | Progressive |
| Response to causative drug withdrawal | Variable | Poor |
| Response to levodopa | Poor | Marked |
| Other features | Orofacial dyskinesia, akathisia | |
| Rest tremor | Uncommon | Common |
| Sex | More common in females | More common in males |
| Freezing | Uncommon | Common |

Does DIP reveal underlying neurodegeneration ?



Evidence for “unmasking” of PD in DIP



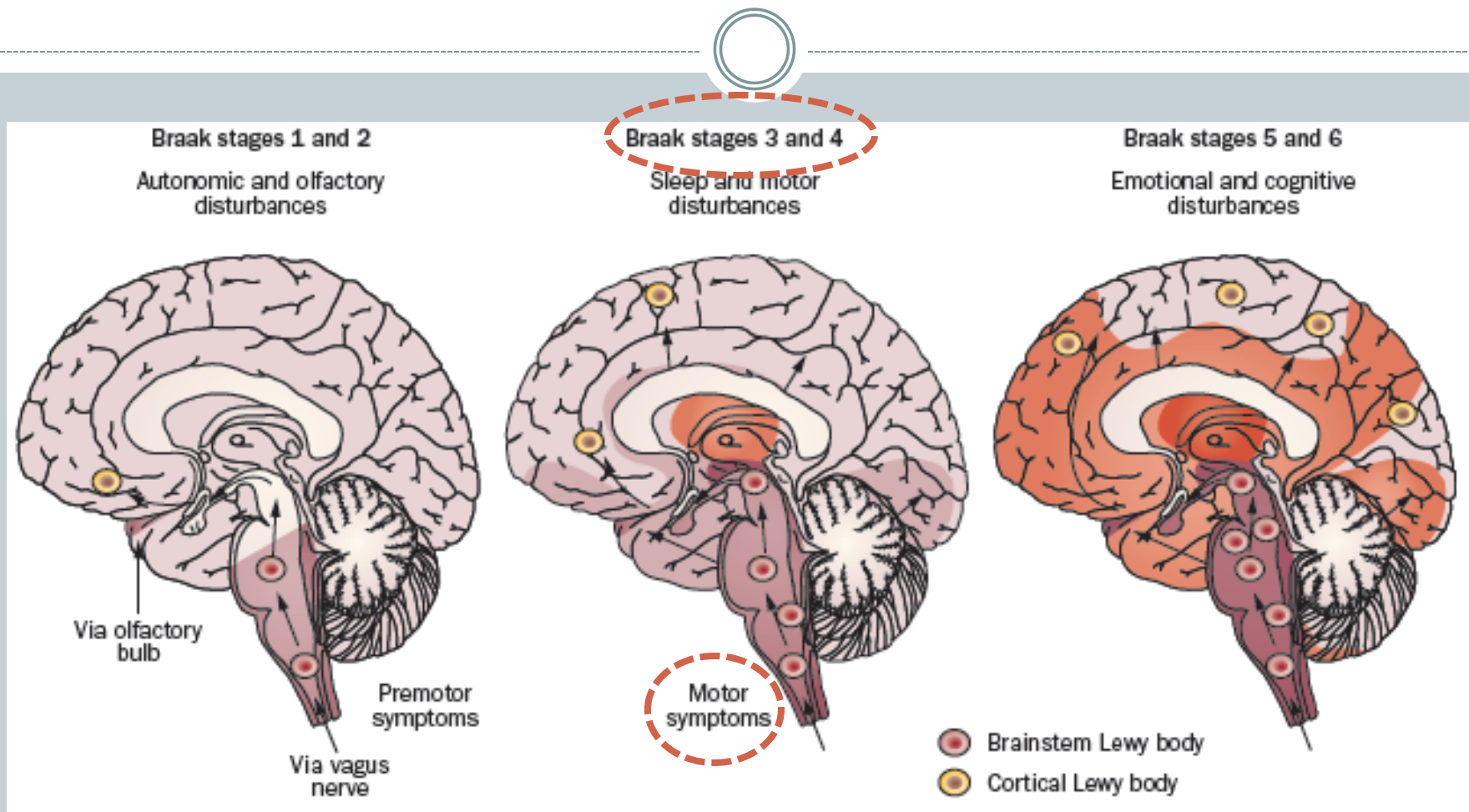
- ~10-20% with persistence or worsening after withdrawal
- Multiple studies describe pts who resolve but develop recurrent, progressive sx
- Rajput et al. (*Arch Neurol* 1982) reported 2 pts reversible DIP but nigral Lewy bodies at autopsy
- Patients with prior DIP are at ~20X higher risk for PD

Some DIP patients have dopaminergic denervation

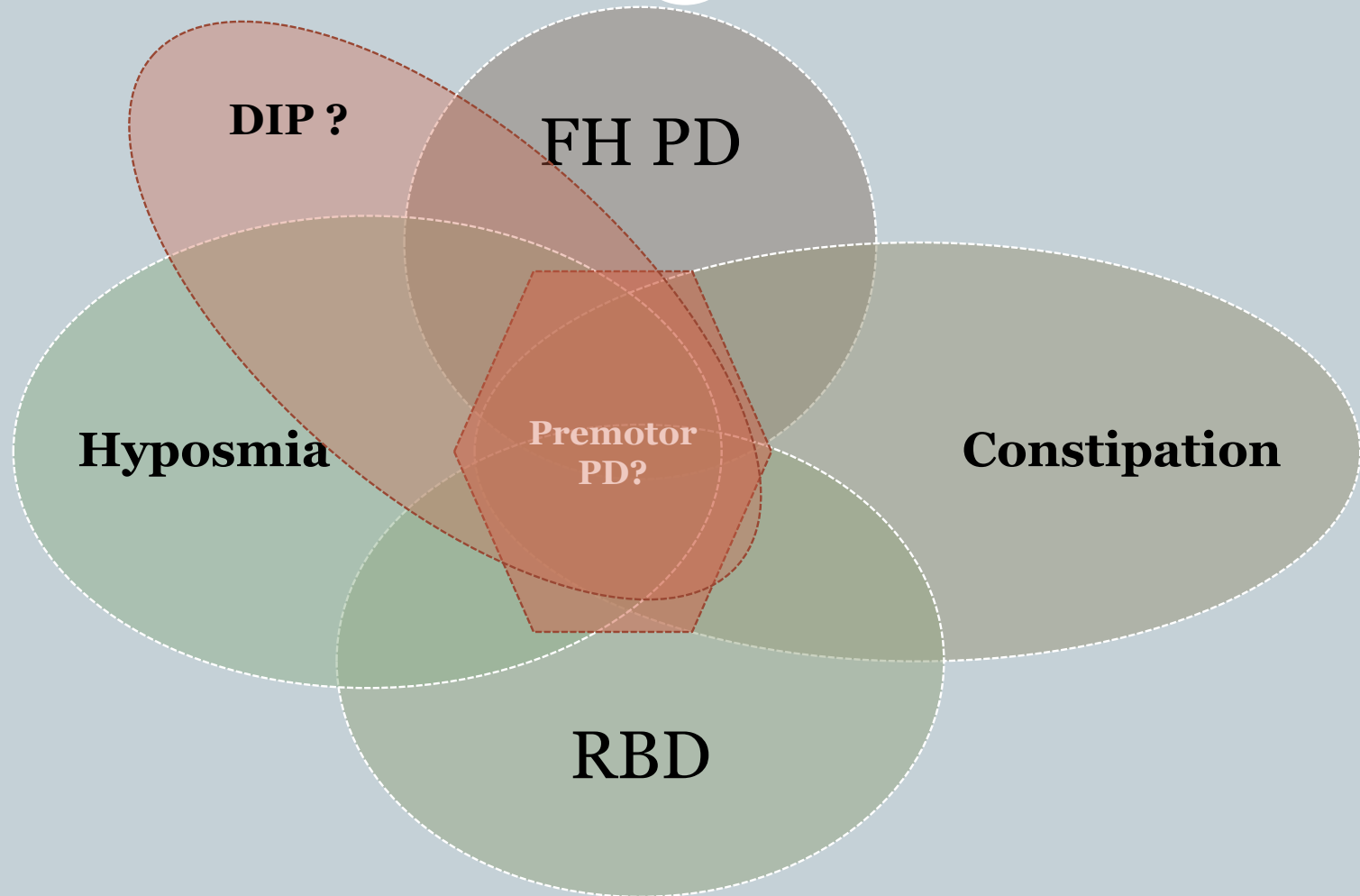


| Study | N | Population | Method | Abnormal scans |
|-----------------------------------|----|---------------|------------|----------------|
| Burn <i>Neurology</i> 1993 | 13 | schizophrenia | F-dopa PET | 4 (30%) |
| Lorberboym <i>Mov Dis</i> 2006 | 20 | mixed | DaT-SPECT | 11 (55%) |
| Tinazzi <i>Mov Dis</i> 2008 | 32 | mixed | DaT-SPECT | 14 (44%) |

Progression of Lewy pathology in PD



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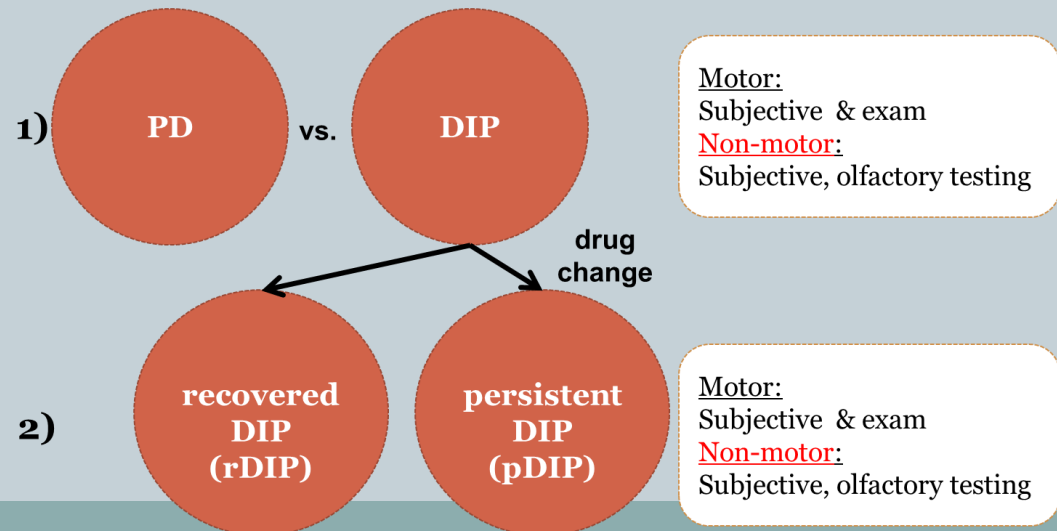


Motor and non-motor features of Parkinson's disease that predict persistent drug-induced Parkinsonism

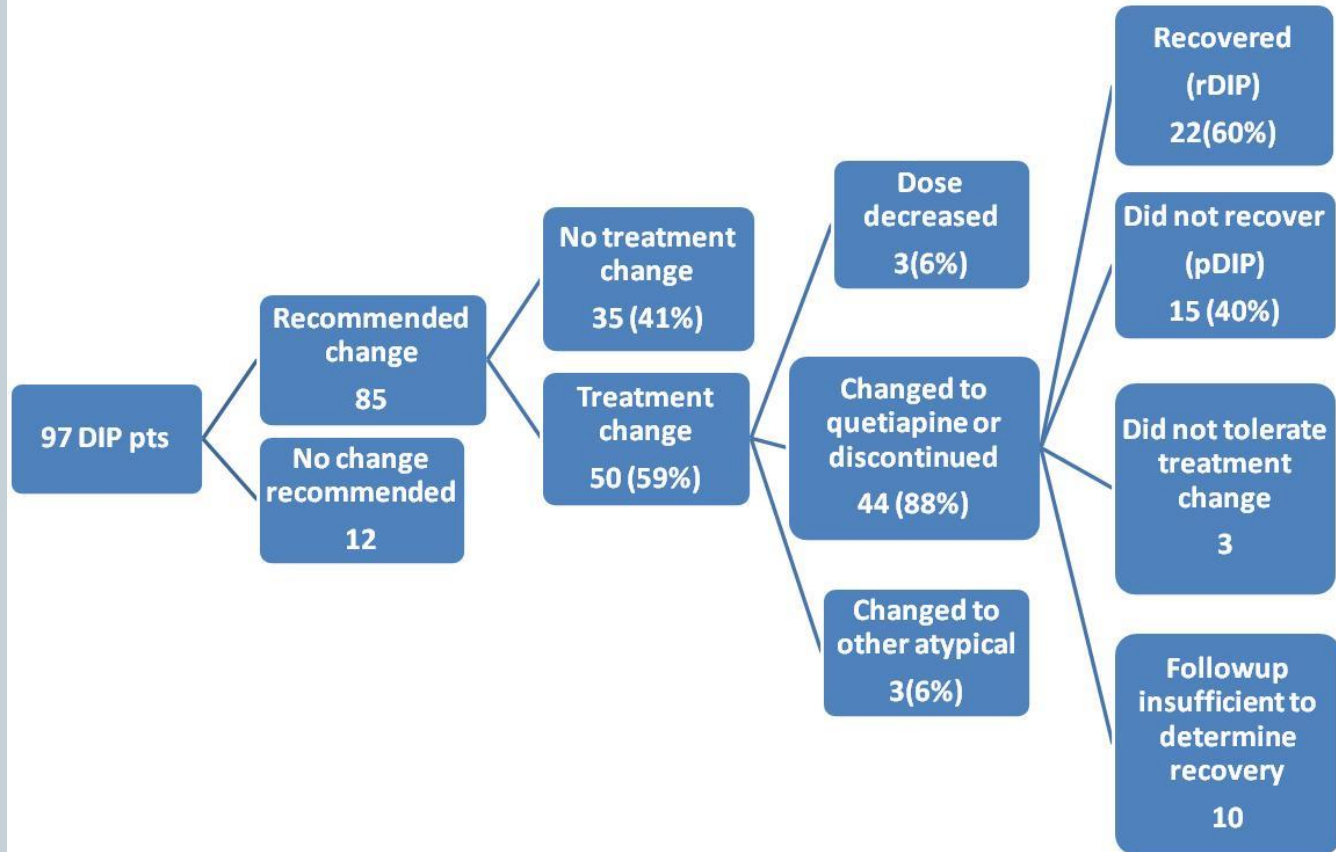
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Clinical outcomes of DIP in the PADRECC cohort



A cohort to compare DIP with PD



| | PD vs. DIP | | | Persistent DIP vs. reversible DIP | | |
|---------------------|------------|-------------|-------|-----------------------------------|--------------|------|
| | PD N=97 | DIP N=97 | P | pDIP N=15 | rDIP N=22 | p |
| Age | 65 (6.8) | 64 (10) | 0.58 | 69 (11) | 63 (10) | 0.10 |
| Gender (% male) | 99 | 95 | 0.11 | 100 | 93 | 0.41 |
| Smokers (%) | 17 | 21 | 0.63 | 27 | 19 | 0.66 |
| UPDRS-I | 3.5 (2.9) | 5.6 (3.7) | 0.002 | 2.8 (2.5) | 4.3 (4.3) | 0.44 |
| UPDRS-II | 13 (8.9) | 13 (8.5) | 0.81 | 11 (10) | 7.4 (6.3) | 0.25 |
| Schwab & England | 76 (20) | 70 (25) | 0.13 | 70 (23) | 80 (21) | 0.27 |

Motor features in PD and DIP



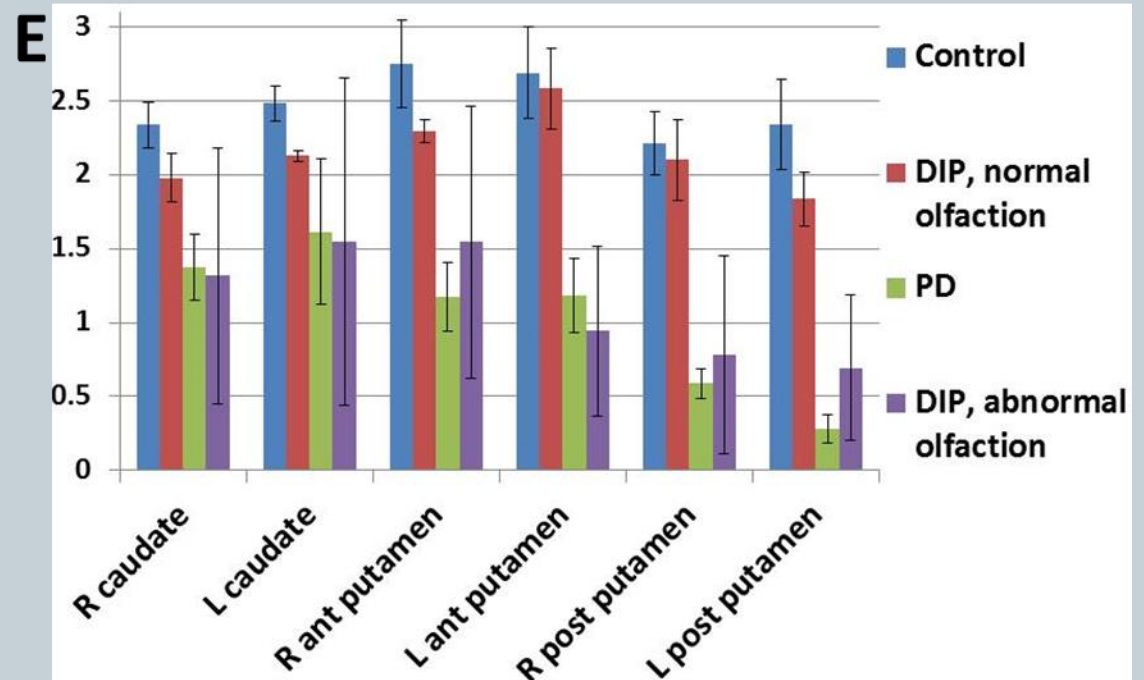
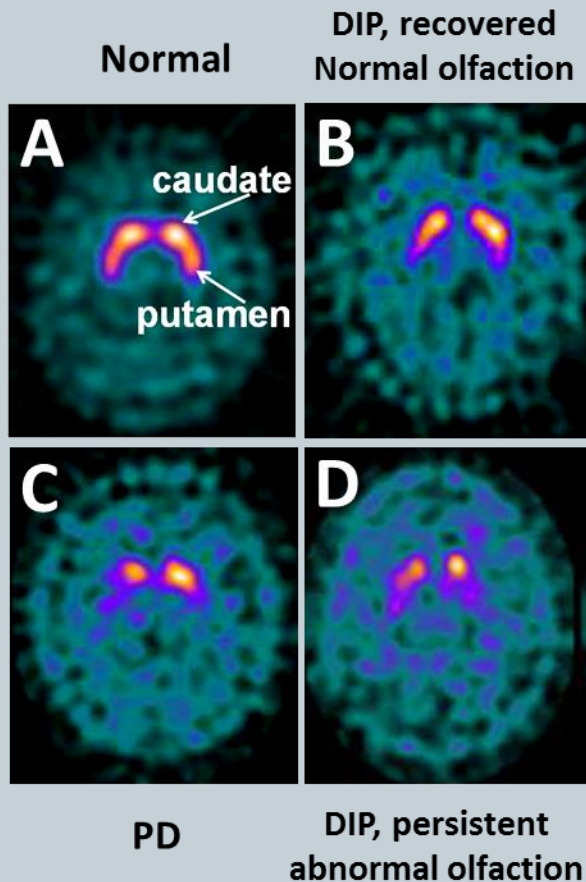
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| | PD N=97 | DIP N=97 | P | pDIP N=15 | rDIP N=22 | p |
| UPDRS-III | 24 (12) | 26 (15) | 0.65 | 27 (16) | 27 (16) | 0.89 |
| Tremor | 3.4 (3.5) | 4.4 (4.1) | 0.08 | 4.3 (3.8) | 5.9 (4.4) | 0.35 |
| Bradykinesia | 10 (5.9) | 9.1 (8.8) | 0.32 | 11.3 (8.8) | 7.7 (7.3) | 0.16 |
| Rigidity | 5.4 (3.3) | 4.9 (4.1) | 0.23 | 5.1 (4.7) | 5.9 (4.6) | 0.64 |
| PIGD | 3.7 (2.3) | 1.7 (1.6) | <0.001 | 2.2 (1.1) | 0.94 (1.1) | 0.003 |
| Asymmetry index | 0.29 (0.28) | 0.11 (0.11) | <0.001 | 0.11 (0.10) | 0.11 (0.15) | 0.96 |

Non-motor symptoms in PD and DIP



| | PD vs. DIP | | | Persistent DIP vs. reversible DIP | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------|-----------------------------------|--------------|------|
| | PD N=97 | DIP N=97 | P | pDIP N=15 | rDIP N=22 | p |
| Constipation | 49% | 30% | 0.02 | 42% | 20% | 0.21 |
| Lightheaded | 42% | 41% | 1.0 | 50% | 33% | 0.34 |
| Urinary | 57% | 42% | 0.06 | 58% | 40% | 0.29 |
| Impotence | 47% | 30% | 0.05 | 42% | 20% | 0.21 |
| Multiple autonomic | 67% | 50% | 0.07 | 50% | 21% | 0.15 |
| Mood | 47% | 61% | 0.11 | 58% | 56% | 0.61 |
| Dream enactment | 51% | 39% | 0.15 | 55% | 15% | 0.06 |
| Abnormal olfactory testing | 88% (16/18) | 28% (12/21) | 0.04 | 86% (6/7) | 16% (1/6) | 0.03 |

Hyposmia is associated with poor recovery and dopaminergic denervation in DIP



Conclusions



- DIP is common and debilitating
- DIP occurs with both typical and atypical antipsychotics
- DIP can be impossible to distinguish from iPD
- Systematic study of management and outcomes is needed
- DIP may define a cohort at-risk for PD where non-motor symptoms including olfaction may be useful clinical biomarkers

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